



"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 1642"

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
DARIO CREMASCHI, ET AL. : EXAMINER: NICKOL, G.  
SERIAL NO: 09/988,150 :  
FILED: NOVEMBER 19, 2001 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1642  
FOR: USE OF MICROPARTICLES :  
HAVING A PROTEIN AND AN  
ANTIBODY ADSORBED THEREON FOR  
PREPARING A PHARMACEUTICAL  
COMPOSITION FOR INTRANASAL  
ADMINISTRATION

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.